Dear Vicki and Jim,

I am going out pretty soon to play bridge at Lakewood and dad is working late tonight so I didn't have to fix any dinner.

The chess card came and dad is still working on his move. It came yesterday so he will probably figure out how he will make his next play tonight.

Mary is coming over tomorrow after work. Today her lanlord cleaned her apartment for her. That is he washed the windows and washed and waxed the kitchen and bathroom floors and cleaned the carpeting. He does that every now and then which is pretty nice. Her landlady also brings her freshly baked rolls and other good things. They think they will be giving up their apartment when they go to Olympia for the legislature session. That moving is alot of hard work.

I am glad you enjoyed your bridge lesson. I know you will really love the game when you really get started playing and it won't take long. Mary and Mike were over Sunday for dinner and we played a little bridge.

Seeing a big turtle in your yard was certainly an unusual sight. I wonder where it came from . It probably will die without water. I wonder if it was someone's pet that got away.

Dad and I are going to start learning to play the same of "Go" that you bought, Jim. It should be fun, once we get on to it. I guess it is a hard game but we can learn it.

I had better stop for now as I have to meet Nancy Litner down at the square and we will ride over to the bridge game together.

More later.

Love,

Mom.